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| UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small> | | Attorney Docket No. A220 1010.1 |
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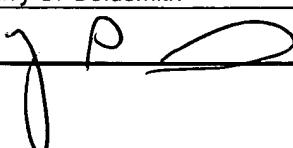
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| APPLICATION ELEMENTS <small>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.</small> | | ADDRESS TO: Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | |
| <p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) <i>(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)</i></p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. <i>See 37 CFR 1.27.</i></p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages 18]</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;"><i>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings <i>(if filed)</i> - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 5]</p> <p>5. Oath or Declaration X</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) <i>(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)</i></p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) <i>Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</i></p> <p>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76</p> | | <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program <i>(Appendix)</i></p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission <i>(if applicable, all necessary)</i></p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)</p> <p>b. Specification Sequence Listing on:</p> <p>i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statements verifying identity of above copies</p> | |
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Prior application information: Examiner _____ Group / Art Unit: _____

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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| Application Number | (New Application) |
| Filing Date | March 18, 2004 |
| First Named Inventor | Jeffrey W. Johnson |
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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001 | 770 | 2001 | 385 | Utility filing fee | 770.00 |
| 1002 | 340 | 2002 | 170 | Design filing fee | |
| 1003 | 530 | 2003 | 265 | Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 770 | 2004 | 385 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |
| SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) | | | | | |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

| | | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|----|--------------|----------------|----------|
| Total Claims | 21 | 20- ** = 1 | x 18 = 18.00 | |
| Independent Claims | 4 | 3 | x 86 = 86.00 | |
| Multiple Dependent | | | | |

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description |
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| 1202 | 18 | 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20 |
| 1201 | 86 | 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 1203 | 290 | 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
| 1204 | 86 | 2204 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
| SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) | | 874.00 |

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| 1051 | 130 | 2051 | 65 Surcharge – late filing fee or oath |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 | 25 Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover sheet. |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 Non-English specification |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 | 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 | 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 | 55 Extension for reply within first month |
| 1252 | 420 | 2252 | 210 Extension for reply within second month |
| 1253 | 950 | 2253 | 475 Extension for reply within third month |
| 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 | 740 Extension for reply within fourth month |
| 1255 | 2010 | 2255 | 1005 Extension for reply within fifth month |
| 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 Notice of Appeal |
| 1402 | 330 | 2402 | 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal |
| 1403 | 290 | 2403 | 145 Request for oral hearing |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 Petition to revive – unavoidable |
| 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 Petition to revive - unintentional |
| 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 | 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue) |
| 1502 | 480 | 2502 | 240 Design issue fee |
| 1503 | 640 | 2503 | 320 Plant issue fee |
| 1460 | 130 | 1460 | 130 Petitions to the Commissioner |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 | 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) |
| 1806 | 180 | 1806 | 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 | 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) 40.00 |
| 1809 | 770 | 2809 | 385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) |
| 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) |
| 1801 | 770 | 2801 | 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 | 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application |
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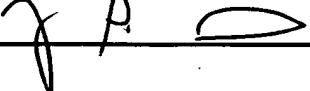
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